

REMARKS

As is noted above, Applicants elect the invention of Group I, claims 1-7, without traverse.

Applicants also submit that the present amendment is being made to add language to the claims that the Examiner in the parent case, U.S. Serial No. 09/759,508, had indicated she may be open to considering. This language has been added to independent claim 1, and also is present separately, in new claim 20. Further in the interest of expediting prosecution, Applicants have made additional amendments to claim 1, which had also been made in the parent application. For example, the disease or condition now specified in the claim is a disease or condition of the heart.

Applicants submit that the claims are in condition for allowance, and such language is respectfully requested. If there are any charges not covered or any credits, please apply them to Deposit Account No. 03-2095.

Respectfully submitted,

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